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In Re the Application of:

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METHOD FOR PURE TORQUE

VOICE COIL MOTOR"

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REQUEST FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Applicant hereby authorizes the Commissioner to charge the credit card identified on the enclosed Form PTO-2038 in the amount of \$1020.00 for the fees associated with Fee Code 1253 in connection with payment of the extension fee. Applicant believes that no other fees are due. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to debit Deposit Account No. 50-2198 for any fee deficiencies associated with filing this paper.

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